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For (Title):

HYDROGEN-STORAGE CONTAINER AND METHOD OF OCCLUDING HYDROGEN

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П	A Declaration and Power of Attorney is filed herewith.
	This application claims benefit of Provisional Application No filed
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K 7	(A Preliminary Amendment is attached to reflect this claim in the Specification if not already present.)
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	The executed Assignment is filed herewith.
	An Information Disclosure Statement is filed herewith.
	Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.
П	A Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith.
	Priority of foreign applications No. 2002-212987 filed July 22, 2002 and No. 2003-145079 filed May 22, 2003 in
	JAPAN are claimed (35 U.S.C. §119).
	A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign applications are filed herewith.
	This application is NOT to be published under 35 U.S.C. 112(b). The undersigned attorney or agent hereby certifies that
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